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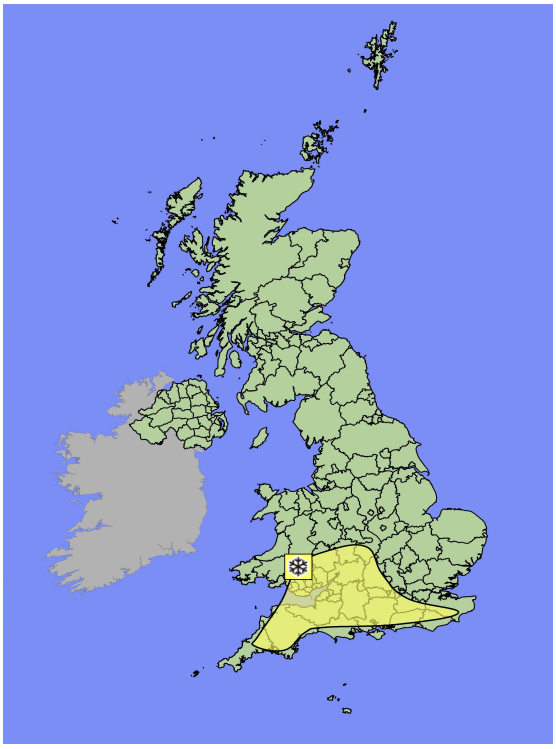

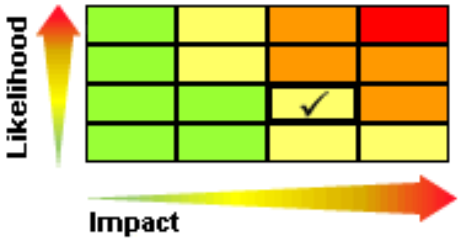

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Complex frontal features are affecting parts of the south through Tuesday. With flow becoming more northeasterly through the day much colder air will be drawn into the system and increase the snow risk and the area likely to be affected. There is still a fair degree of uncertainty in the detail and there may be further adjustments to the warning as events unfold.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **03:00 on Tue, 22nd Jan 2013** until **10:00 on Wed, 23rd Jan 2013**

Outbreaks of sleet or snow will affect parts of southwest England and South Wales during Tuesday, extending to other parts of southern England and the south Midlands later. Where rain or sleet is currently falling, this is expected to turn increasingly to snow during this afternoon and evening, even at low levels. Some 2-5 cm of snow is expected quite widely and in places 10 cm or more, with the highest risk of 10 cm or more occurring on high ground within the amber warning area.
The public should be aware of possible disruption to transport.
This update expands the area to include more of southern England, southeast Wales and the SW Midlands.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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